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**METHOD AND SYSTEM FOR ACOUSTICAL  
FUNCTION CONTROL IN A MOTOR VEHICLE**

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1. In accordance with the duty of disclosure under 37 C.F.R. § 1.56 and in conformance with the procedures of 37 C.F.R. §§ 1.97 and 1.98 and M.P.E.P. § 609, attorneys for Applicant(s) hereby bring the references listed on the attached modified PTO form 1449 to the attention of the Examiner. It is respectfully requested that the information be expressly considered during the prosecution of this application, and that the references be made of record therein and appear among the "References Cited" on any patent to issue therefrom.
2. A copy of each patent, publication or other information listed on the modified PTO form 1449 is enclosed, except as otherwise indicated.

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EXAMINER'S INITIALS	DOCUMENT NUMBER	DATE	COUNTRY	CLASS	SUB-CLASS	TRANSLATION	
						YES	NO
	0 856 432*	August 5, 1998	EP				
	2 570 037*	March 14, 1986	FR				
	0 794 089*	September 10, 1997	EP				
	0 963 876*	December 15, 1999	EP				

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**OTHER DOCUMENTS**

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